

In the Specification

Please amend the title as follows:

A SERVICE ENGINE FOR PROVIDING ACCESS TO A SERVICE ACCORDING
TO ONE OR MORE CONDITIONS USING A SERVICE ENGINE

Please amend the specification at page 5, lines 14-26:

According to the illustrated embodiment, system 10 includes one or more user systems 20 and one or more vendor systems 24 coupled to a service system 30, which includes a service engine ~~[[28]]~~ 34, through one or more communication networks 28 as illustrated. System 10, however, may include more, fewer, or other modules. According to one embodiment of operation, service system ~~[[26]]~~ 30 displays to user systems 20 a directory of services offered by vendor systems 30. Service engine ~~[[28]]~~ 34 may provide user systems 20 access to selected services, monitor the access to the selected services, and provide compensation to vendor systems ~~[[30]]~~ 24 for the access to the selected services.

Please amend the specification at page 5, line 27 through page 6, line 9:

According to the illustrated embodiment, a user system 20 may allow a user to communicate with service system ~~[[26]]~~ 30. A user may comprise, for example, a human, a device, or any other entity operable to request access to a service from service system ~~[[26]]~~ 30 through a user system 20. A user may be identified by a user identifier comprising, for example, a text string that corresponds to one or more users. A user identifier may comprise, for example, a user name, a user address, a user code, or any other suitable string that corresponds to one or more users. User system 20 may operate on one or more computers, and may include appropriate input devices, output devices, storage media, processors, memory, or other components for receiving, processing, storing, or communicating information.

Please amend the specification at page 6, lines 23-32:

Communication network ~~[[22]]~~ 28 allows user systems 20 and vendor systems 24 to communicate with service system 26. Communication networks ~~[[22]]~~ 28 may comprise all or a portion of a public switched telephone network (PSTN), a public or private data network, a local area network (LAN), a metropolitan area network (MAN), a wide area network (WAN), a global computer network such as the internet, a wireline or wireless network, a local, regional, or global communication network, an enterprise internet, other suitable network, or any combination of proceeding.